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In re Patent Application of

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Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

□ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

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(at least 20) =

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\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add

Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee

Applicant claims "small entity" status.

\$180.00 (1806)

\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$

\$ 0.00

Assignment Recording Fee

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0.00

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0.00

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